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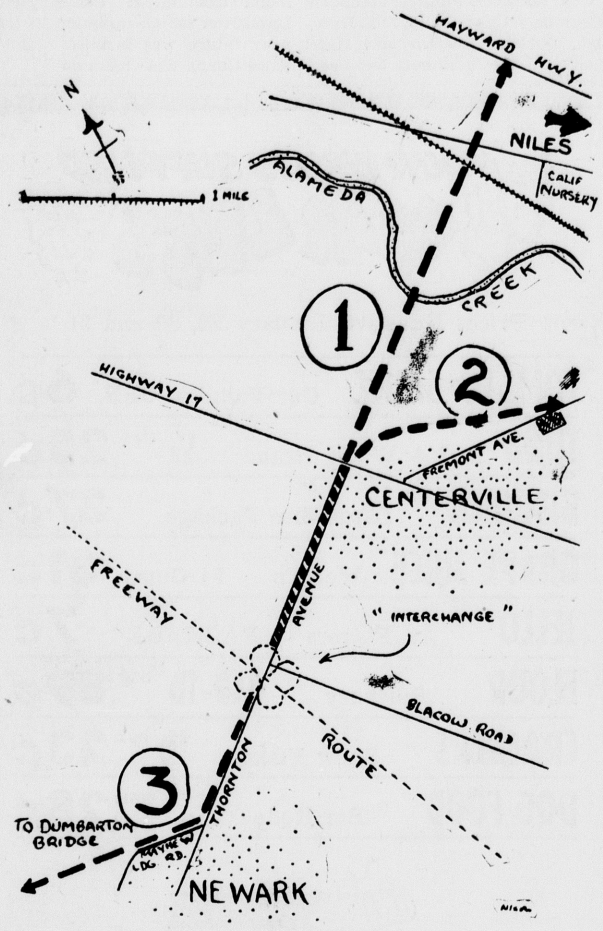

FUTURE ROUTES? . . . Designated as routes under survey by the State Division of Highways are these projected cross-Township "feeders" for the coming Eastshore Freeway here. Last month in Oakland, a State planning engineer said Thornton Avenue (dashed line) is definitely planned as a "feeder" between Main Street and the Freeway Interchange. Then, said the engineer, surveys show "possibilities" for east-west extensions as (1) a direct road across Alameda Creek to the Hayward Highway, or (2) a swing north of Centerville to Fremont Avenue. For the Dumbarton Bridge side, he said the "feeder" may swing north of Newark down Mayhew Landing Road. (Register Map)

Supervisors, Seidel Asked to Defend Pay Raise Proposal

Spokesmen for county supervisors and Supt. of Schools Vaughn D. Seidel will be invited to Niles to explain why they took what one Chamber of Commerce member termed "the back door" to seek pay raises.

This was the upshot of a session Tuesday at which Dr. Tom Wilson, outspoken critic of the proposed raises, agreed to the invitation, extended by Chamber of Commerce President Peter Juhl.

Last week Wilson teed off on the supervisors and Seidel for seeking the boosts through the State legislature instead of via local ballot. He said Seidel wants to be upped from $14,000 to $16,000 a year, and the supervisors from $7800 to about $9000 "plus a pension."

This week Wilson, still trying for a Chamber resolution against the raises, backed water a trifle. Said he:

"If you think they're worth it, all right. But I don't favor the way they're putting it through.

"I agree you have to have good men to administer a $100,000,000 business like Alameda County, but these supervisors still operate their own businesses too. And didn't Seidel ask for travel expenses to Sacramento to get himself a raise from the Legislature? Remember, he only has to handle the schools in the unincorporated districts, not the cities."

Clifford K. Dennis chimed in, speaking of the Legislative raises:

"I don't see what concern it is to a senator from Modoc or San Marino what our supervisors

The Irvington Chamber of Commerce this week voted for a pay raise for county supervisors. No amount was specified, but the group endorsed a study now under way in the Legislature.

Supervisor Chester E. Stanley explained the study, then charged attacks on him and the raise made by Dr. Tom Wilson are "purely personal."

(See Stanley's letter, page 8.)

Allan Hirsch then presented a resolution endorsing the raise, explaining "we need first-class men and first-class service, and I feel that in view of the time and responsibility involved and the raises already granted our other public servants, some increase is warranted."

SCOTT QUITS NILES SCHOOL BOARD

Resignation of H. L. Scott, veteran school trustee, from the board of the Niles Grammar School was disclosed Monday.

Scott, a former high school trustee, has been on the elementary board since 1948. His term would have expired in 1954. He explained pressure of business forced the resignation.

Replacing Scott will be John Kelly, 36, engineer at the Alameda Naval Air Station. Kelly has lived in Niles for eight years and has two school-age children.

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NO POWER FOR AN HOUR — BUT WHY?

Who flicked the switch on Niles?

The PG&E would like to know, according to local Manager Peter Juhl.

Last Friday about 3:40 p.m., all power in Niles.. suddenly switched off. Juhl and his aides frantically checked and trouble-shot the lines, but no dice. And no juice, either.

Finally at 4:50 p.m., auxiliary power cut in and brought back lights just as worried Nilesians were getting out their coal-oil lamps.

No. Juhl still doesn't know what hit us. Might have been a bird on the wires somewhere, he muses.

TREEVIEW TRACT LAND IS SOLD TO BILTMORE FIRM

Hillview Crest, subdivision north of Decoto, may have a 600-home twin soon, it was learned Monday.

Peter Decoto, scion of a pioneer family here, disclosed he and his sister, Mrs. Jeanette May, have sold or optioned 150 acres across the highway from Hillview Crest to Biltmore Homes, of Los Angeles, the firm which developed Hillview Crest.

Development of the new tract, to be called Treeview, depends, however, on drainage plans. The Alameda County Planning Commission has withheld approval of the tract until the subdivider provides runoffs to keep low-lying Hillview Crest from being flooded by Treeview.

Biltmore took an option on the property for $1000 an acre three years ago, and recently purchased one third of it and agreed to buy the rest by 1955, Decoto said.

When built, the tract will make a fourth school necessary for the Decoto School District.

KRAFTILE ORDER BACKLOG 'BIGGEST'

The Kraftile Company of Niles entered 1953 with the biggest backlog of orders in its history, President Charles W. Kraft announced this week.

Kraft also said the firm has its biggest inventory of jobs on hand ,ready for delivery. Of these orders, 72 per cent are for military construction.

"Should all this business flow out as contracted for," Kraft told his employees through the medium of the company information bulletin, "we will enjoy our highest profits in history."

Kraft disclosed 1952 profit percentage was 9.43 on sales. He ness:

" . . . leads to an ambition we are cherishing . . . to average as high a sales volume yearly in 1951-55 as we did in the previous 5-year period when we benefitted from almost as high a volume from other products as we did from those we made ourselves.

"This will take a bit of doing since we have about reached the productive limits of the plant without undertaking a major expansion program."

He added this expansion is gradually getting under way. but depends on the firm's ability to show a steady profit, to pay off the cost of expansion.

In 1951, Kraft announced, Kraftile spent 45 per cent of its profits, before taxes, for new equipment. In 1952, the investment was 5 per cent. This year he expects to spend about $22,000.

Supervisors Okeh Zone 6; Hold Alameda Creek Flood Curbs for Year Over Protest

MOTHERS MARCH ON POLIO . . . Next Tuesday at 7 p.m., Washington Township mothers will join mothers throughout Alameda County in the third successive Mothers' March on Polio. Township Mothers' March leaders include: (left to right, standing) Mrs. E. E. Lewallen, Newark; Mrs. H. W. Nelson, Niles; Mrs. G. E. Harkleroad, Hillview Crest, Decoto; Mrs. Bernie R. Joseph, Decoto; (seated, left to right) Mrs. Vernon Brown, Centerville; Mrs. E. P. Mackintosh, Irvington, and Mrs. Ted Logan, Niles. Porchlights and other signals will guide the Mother Marchers to homes where polio contributions are waiting to be picked up. Special Mothers' March envelopes will identify all official March of Dimes representatives.

KRAFTILE GETS NILES C. OF C. SUPPORT FOR HEAVY INDUSTRY ZONE CHANGE

Fearful that future homeowners in Adobe Acres may object to Kraftile plant operations, Charles W. Kraft, president of the firm, this week sought and got support from the Niles Chamber of Commerce to have the tile factory zoned as heavy industry.

Kraft appeared before a Tuesday luncheon to explain:

1. He has absolutely no objection to residential zoning, as sought in the adjoining tract.

2. Kraftile operations, while not "obnoxious" now, might be construed as objectionable at some future date by new residents.

3. The company is in the midst of a $500,000 expansion program on the site and fears to proceed under such a possible threat.

The issue arose last week when the County Planning Commission presented a proposed zoning map with Kraftile shown as a "light industry" buffer between the homes and the Pacific States Steel mill.

One Chamber member suggested the group wait and hear from the 'Acres homeowners before acting on Kraft's proposal, saying (1) someone else might buy the factory and convert it to undesirable uses unless it was zoned light-industrial, and (2) that the county's technicians consider the Kraftile buffer "good planning."

But on the motion of Walter Chrysler, himself an 'Acres resident, the chamber agreed to ask the Planning Commission to transfer Kraftile from a light-industrial to a heavy-industrial zone.

Chrysler, who last week represented the tract at a Planning Commission hearing, reported attorneys from Rhodes and Jamieson gravel works and other concerns will be on hand at the final hearing February 18 to battle against the ban on more factories between the Western Pacific and Southern Pacific tracks west of Niles.

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FAIR WANTS KYNE DESPITE FUROR

William P. "Bill" Kyne, racetrack promoter whose $5,000,000 charity fund is under investigation, last week was again recommended to run the Alameda County Fair's racing season.

Directors of the Fair, meeting in Pleasanton, unanimously approved Kyne. They recommended to the Supervisors he be employed "under the same terms and conditions" of his 1952 contract, when he received $21,500 for staging the 14-day race meet.

Meantime a superior judge in Redwood City tied up assets of Kyne's Bay Meadows track pending the Attorney General's investigation of what happened to $5,000,000 in charity funds collected by Kyne.

Dates for the 1953 Fair requested by the directors are June 26 through July 11.

STANLEY RAPS COW BARONS FOR FLOOD CONTROL STAND

Cattlemen from Livermore who blocked formation of Flood Control Zone 5 got a tongue-lashing Tuesday from Supervisor Chester E. Stanley.

Stanley told the Irvington Chamber of Commerce the flood-control zone is dead for another year because of the cowmen's action, and asserted:

"Some nice people along Alameda Creek may have their homes and land washed away because of the selfish attitude of a few cattle barons in the hills."

The supervisor chairman mentioned no names, but made it clear he was referring to W. Gatzmer Wagoner, president of the Livermore Cattlemen's Protective Association, who four times spoke in public against forming Zone 5 along the Alameda Creek watershed. Wagoner claimed (1) it would not benefit cattlemen whose lands would be included in the taxing district, and (2) that its administration by the supervisors would be "un-American."

Stanley complimented W. D. Patterson of Newark, chairman of the Flood Control District's advisory commission, for "his unselfish attitude" in trying to have the zone formed, despite the fact that Patterson also owns large acreage east of Niles Canyon.

Then Stanley praised the Irvington Chamber's efforts in "selling Zone 6 to the majority of people here." This zone was formed by the supervisors earlier in the day.

County Hydraulic Engineer James Vivrette told the dinner meeting in Roethlin's Cafe that although taxes now may be levied in the zone, he believes it doubtful that extensive work will be finished this year.

The Chamber elected new officers for the coming year. To be seated late in February are Wallace Pond, president; A. E. Alameda and Jack Prouty, vice-presidents, and Ernest Vayssie, secretary-treasurer.

SAY ADVISORS CAN CUT SCHOOL COSTS

Expert building consultants can save millions in public school costs, Dr. John H. Butler, executive dean of San Francisco State College told the local Rotary Club Thursday.

Dr. Butler urged that no major school building programs be undertaken without consultants, whom he termed co-ordinators between school officials and architects. Consultants fees average one-half of one per cent of construction costs, and save many times that sum, he said.

Washington Union High School trustees, present at the meeting, said later that the architectural firm which will build the $1,500,000 high school addition does employ such consultants.

Stanley Quiets Rancher Objections

Irvington, Warm Springs and Mission San Jose won their flood-control zone Tuesday when the Supervisors approved Zone 6 of the Alameda County Flood Control District and sent it to the Secretary of State.

At the same time, the supervisors ended hopes for Zone 5, along Alameda Creek, because a controversy prevented their flood adivsors from passing along a recommendation on it.

There were no protests to the formation of Zone 6. Supervisor Chester E. Stanley said he conferred earlier in the week with Michael Overacker Jr. of Mission San Jose, and with a Warm Springs contingent headed by Melvin Leal.

Stanley said he satisfied their objections by pointing out that if the engineering of drainage and flood curbs is not satisfactory, the supervisors can change the plans.

Formation of Zone 6 clears the way for taxes this year to finance drainage and flood control work in the 27,000-acre zone. Engineers have estimated these will cost at most 50 cents per $100 assessed valuation.

The supervisors reviewed a favorable recommendation on Zone 6 which was made Thursday by the advisory commission of the Flood Control District.

But the same commission declined to submit any recommendation on Zone 5, along Alameda Creek, following a meeting Friday night in Pleasanton when support for that zone failed to materialize.

This in effect killed Zone 5 for another year, since it and Zone 6 had to get the supervisors' okay by February 1 to be eligible for taxes.

At the hearing in Pleasanton, W. G. Wagoner, Livermore cattleman, again spearheaded opposition to Zone 5. Wagoner declared the problems of Centerville and Alvarado are different than those of Livermore and Altamont, and thus both areas ought to be in separate zones. He said once an area is in such a zone, "there's no getting out," and termed flood control by "five supervisors and one engineer" an "un-American method," with the six men able to cash "a blank check."

Deputy District Atty. Richard Moore countered that there are 17 such flood control districts in the State, and that there are ample safeguards, such as bond elections, or protests by owners of 51 per cent of the assessed valuation to kill an unpopular scheme.

From Washington Township, Manuel Hidalgo, president of the Decoto Chamber of Commerce, warned that further subdivisions cannot be built because of poor

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TOWNSHIP C. C. ASKS TWO MO RE PLANNING COMMISSIONERS

Two more members should be added to the County Planning Commission to increase rural representation, the Washington Township Chamber of Commerce agreed here last week.

Delegates voted to demand action from the Supervisors increasing the number of commissioners from seven to nine, and appointing the two men from the unincorporated areas.

The Alameda County Farm Bureau and several individual chambers of commerce already have asked that any new appointees be from the rural regions of the county.

But the chamber turned down a companion suggestion from Supervisor Chester Stanley that an advisory board be set up to tell the Supervisors and planning commissioners what Washington Township wants. One delegate said it would serve only to "take the heat off the Supervisors."

New officers will be elected at the February 17 meeting of the chamber, and Acting President Peter Juhl named a committee to present names of candidates at that time.

Composing the committee are Juhl, Frank Borghi, A. E. Alameda, Gordon Cotton and Harry Weber.

Driver Fined $350

The price of drunken driving rose here this week, with a Hayward motorist fined $350 by Judge E. A. Quaresma.

Paying the big impost was Alfred B. Rodriguez, arrested Sunday when officers spied the erratic course of his auto.

WEEK'S WEATHER

Temperatures furnished by the Citizens Utilities Company at Niles:

	High	Low
January 21	75	36
January 22	78	37
January 23	77	42
January 24	72	45
January 25	62	53
January 26	71	33
January 27	80	34

No rain. 13.55 inches to date.

Where's the Fire?

Tuesday, January 27, Alvarado, 9:10 a.m., attic fire in residence on Beard Road.

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DECOTO WANTS A BRANCH BANK TOO

Decision to invite the American Trust Company to locate a branch bank in Decoto was taken last week by the Township Chamber of Commerce.

Frank Borghi, Decoto delegate to the chamber, initiated the request.

Secretary Eugene Manning was directed to send a letter to the bank inviting its officials to survey the area with a view to installing the branch in Decoto, which is the Township's last major community without banking facilities.

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IRVINGTON NEWS

By PATSY PEREIRA

LITTLE JOYCE MENDOZA, who has been ill in the San Jose Hospital, came home Wednesday.

MR. and MRS. JOSEPH SALVADOR are now residing in the Hirsch Apartments.

SORRY TO HEAR that the flu has caught up with Walt Roethlin.

DAVID ESCOBEDO, who was in Levine Hospital in Hayward, is home and reported coming along fine. He is the owner of the new bakery.

MRS. BURT SANDERS, who underwent surgery in the Alameda Hospital is now home and doing well.

PFC. MARVIN PEIXOTO was home over the week-end from Fort Ord.

LAST TUESDAY the Irvington Elementary School had the advantage of seeing the inauguration over television. Through the courtesy of Walter Connolly, a television set was put in the school auditorium and the children from the fourth grades to the eighth grade watched the show.

JACKIE HAYNES and Rossine Nelson were co-hostesses of a surprise briday shower given at the PG&E Clubhouse for Mrs. Fred Inglin, the former Miss Christine Kempton of Centerville. Those attending the shower were: Mrs. Betchart, the bride's mother-in-law; Gladys Inglin, her sister-in-law; Mrs. Ed Haynes, Janet Robertson, and LaVerne Chitwood of Irvington; Mrs. Bob Nelson, Claire Ferreira, Alice Sloniker, Shirley Caldwell, Barbara Talley, Beatrice Perez and Rossine Nelson of Niles; Bobby Sulizich, Jo Ann Beshears and Bette Jean Silva of Newark; Jean Furtado of Centerville, Mary Toensing of Decoto, and Nadine Fernandez of Mission San Jose.

MR. and MRS. TOM PEREIRA and daughters, Patsy and Charlene, spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mrs. Pereira's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hale in Concord.

MISS LOUELLA KUHNE gave a pajama party Saturday night. Those who attended were Ray Mona Bass, Anita Shepherd, Becky Leach and Beverly Leimas.

VISITING the Al Peixotos on Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Summers of San Leandro.

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By REGINA SCHNEIDER

"CAPPY" CUNHA celebrated his birthday Saturday night at a party given him by his wife, Jean. Present to help "Cappy" celebrate were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cunha, Jean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Neely of San Jose, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Paveley of San Jose, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown of Centerville, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Dutra of Newark, Shirley Cunha, Nonie Fernandez and Richard Meyers, all of Mission San Jose.

NICE TO SEE Marianna Stabel back in Mission San Jose again for the week-end where she was visiting with her aunt and many friends. Marianna returned to San Francisco Sunday to resume her studies at San Francisco College for Women.

WEDNESDAY VISITOR of Mrs. Anna Mae Campagna was her old friend, Mrs. Sicdens of Blue Lake.

MRS. HERMAN MEDEIROS was honored at a baby shower given her by the Native Daughters of Centerville at the Parish Hall. Beverley received many lovely gifts. Refreshments were then served with Mrs. Margaret Phillips as chairman. Mrs. Anna Mae Campagna decorated the beautifully set table. Present from Mission were: Stella Pacheco, Lorraine Azevedo, Anna Mae Campagna, Hortense Cunha, Betty Andrade, Aldina Garcia, Laura Brown, Regina Schneider, Margaret Phillips, Grace Veith and Josephine Chambers.

MRS. COBB of San Francisco was a recent guest at the home of Miss Lillian Ladiges.

MR. and MRS. JOSEPH GARCIA and daughter, Loreen, spent the week-end in Sacramento as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Burt and family.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Bill Andrade, who celebrated his on Saturday.

LITTLE DONALD AZEVEDO, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Azevedo, was one year old on Sunday. To help Donald celebrate with cake and coffee were his two grandmothers, Mrs. Josephine Roche and Mrs. Katherine Azevedo, and Aunts and uncles Frank and Irma Vargas, Joe and Aldina Garcia, and Mary and Eddie Azevedo.

WE ARE ALL SORRY to hear that Mrs. William Lawrence has been in the hospital where she underwent surgery.

A DUTCH WHIST, given by the Firemen's Women's Auxiliary, was enjoyed by members and their guests at the home of Mrs. Kathaleen Amaral last Thursday. Present were: Laura Brown, Beverly Medeiros, Irma Vargas, Lorraine Azevedo, Katheleen Amaral, Sally Souza, Lena Solon, Elva Brayavich, Margaret Phillips, Josephine Chambers, Grace Veith, Mrs. Dravlen, Dorothy Koelsch and Hazel Millard. Refreshments were served to the guests after the card game.

MRS. GENEVIEVE SYLVIA of Hayward and Mrs. Alice Faust and children of Vallejo spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Andrade.

MONDAY EVENING the Catholic Daughters of America held a social meeting at Parish Hall, Discussion for an initiation in the near future was planned. Hortense Cunha was chairman

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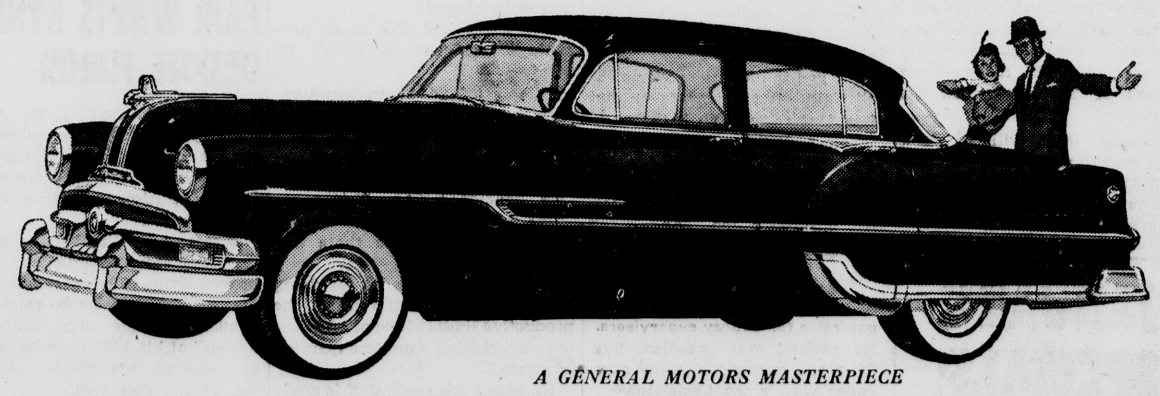
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NEWARK NEWS

By PAT BINDER

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THE CLIPPER CLUB of the First Presbyterian Church met last Wednesday evening at Calvin Hall and installed officers to serve this year. Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Wright are skippers; Mrs. Ruby Rogers, log keeper, and Mrs. Lillian Hildebrand, purser. Mrs. Franklin Brown was appointed program chairman, to be assisted by Doctor John M. Peffers and R. O. Grace. Mmes. Ray Auchard, H. J. Bolyard and W. Q. Wright will be hostesses for the next meeting, February 18.

AT THE PTA staff meeting Tuesday afternoon, plans were made for the annual Founders' Day ceremonies to be held February 3, at 2:30 p.m., in the school auditorunm. Mrs. Willard Walker is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Gordon Peterson of Hayward, third vice-president of the Phoebe Hearst Council, will be the speaker. Eighth grade students will present a pantomine skit, and refreshments will be served by Mrs. Gladys Fahrner, hospitality chairman, and her committee. The annual card party will be held Friday evening, February 20. The school children will sell tickets, as in former years.

P.T.A. MOTHERS will take part in the Mothers' March on Polio February 3 from 7 to 9 p.m. Already signed up to participate are Mmes. George Latham, Carl Hersey, Earl Willburn, Monty Cohoon, Marty Sammon, David Hernandez, Gene Lewallen, Fred Armstrong, J. C. Kennedy, Joe Silver, H. J. McDermott, Robert Peters, Judson Taylor, Tony Martin, Orvil Haynes, Louis Milani, George Meck, Buford Owens, Edwin Burns, Lawrence Costa, and E. S. Astin. Anyone who wishes to volunteer may contact Mrs. Buford Barks, chairman, Newark 3-3935.

TRUSTEES of the newly-formed Newark Recreation District will hold their first meeting tonight (Thursday) in the youth center at 8:30. The meeting is open to the public.

TERRY SOUZA, Julie Gilli, Susan Croop, Judy Davis, Lillian Armstrong, Janice Lewis, Irene and Jo Ann Basurto, all members of the newly-formed Intermediate Girl Scout Troop No. 77, have received their wings after having completed their tenderfoot requirements. They are now working toward second-class rank, seeking proficiency badges in agriculture and homemaking fields. Susan Croop was elected patrol leader of the troop, Julie Gilli, assistant patrol leader, and Lillian Armstrong, scribe. Serving on the refreshment committee are Judy Davis, Janice Lewis, Irene and Jo Ann Basurto.

MRS. JOSEPHINE DOORLEY and daughter, Jean, attended ordination ceremonies at St. Mary's Cathedral, San Francisco, on January 24. On Sunday they attended the first mass of Father Ralph P. Brennan at St. Charles Church in San Carlos.

MRS. HARRY HALL, Stephen McGrath and Mr. and Mrs. Marty Sammon were guests Saturday morning at Our Lady of Mercy Convent in Burlingame, to witness the recitation of vows and reception of the black veil by ten sisters of the Mercy order. Among them was Sister Mary de Montfort, daughter of Mrs. Hall and sister of Mrs. Sammon.

MRS. CARL KVESETH attended a birthday luncheon in San Francisco last Wednesday in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Al Kveseth.

THIS AFTERNOON (Thursday) Newark's eighth grade will be hosts to the grammar school folk dance work shop. Three couples from each school in the township attend these sessions which are held one afternoon each month at a different school. The children learn steps to new dances, and in turn teach them to their classmates. The program is under the direction of Grace Ricketts, in charge of physical education in the Alameda County schools. Instructors are Alice Lambert, Centerville eighth grade teacher, and Ruthe Underwood, Newark fifth grade teacher.

THE REPORTING PRACTICES Committee of Newark School met Wednesday evening with Superintendent Jack MacGregor to discuss ways of improving the present report card. Members of this committee are Mmes. R. G. McCord, E. S. Astin, Tony Martin, Harold Wright, Marty Sammon and Mr. John A. McConnell.

RODDY SAMMON, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marty Sammon of Magnolia Street, celebrated his fifth birthday last Thursday. Guests at his party were Gary and Christine Carroll, Delbert and Elbert Lewallen, Charles Galloway, Paulette Snowden, Gary Peters, Bobby Pierce, Evelyn Armstrong, Susan and Butchie Perl, and Cathy and Lynn Sammon.

MRS. BUFORD BARKS gave a baby shower last week for Mrs. Ray Secombe at the home of Mrs. Secombe's mother, Mrs. Cy Anthony in Oakland. Guests were Mrs. Carl Pierce, Mrs. Orvil Haynes and Janice Barks of Newark; Mae Gilland of Centerville, Mrs. Thomas Wauhab of Sunol, Mrs. Philip Preston, Mrs. Jerry Hudson, Mrs. Lisle Lloyd and Mrs. Bert Owens of Niles. Sending gifts but unable to attend were Lela Rushing and Jo Ann Owens.

Say you read it in The Register

DAIRYMAN HURT IN AUTO-TRAIN CRASH

Frank Macedo, 54, operator of the Macedo Diary on Jarvis Road, suffered possible internal injuries and a laceration over the left eye Monday morning when his pick-up truck was hit by a Southern Pacific locomotive at Cherry Road and Baine Avenue.

Macedo, who lives in San Jose, was taken to Fairmont Hospital. Ray Haven of Oakland was engineer of the locomotive, according to Highway Patrolman Bob Walker.

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TOWNSHIP REGISTER *Sports*

DEFENSE CLICKS, 61-44, FOR HUSKY FIVE OVER LOS GATOS; TO TEST BUCS FRIDAY

By BOB HIRD

Displaying a powerful defense, Washington Hi's varsity five scored their second league win Friday night, walloping Los Gatos 61-44 on the loser's home floor. The win gave the Huskies a 2-1 record in league play.

Coach Clyde Voorhees' charges displayed a half-court press in the small Wildcat gym, hoping to steal the ball, and then switched back to their zone defense. This proved the margin of their victory.

The Huskies jumped to an early first quarter lead of 12-6, and led 27-18 at the half. Center Allen Olk tallied 10 points in the first two periods.

The Malemutes' first-choice quintet played the third quarter and swished in 19 points to lead 46-31. The Huskies used their fast break to great advantage in this period.

The reserves played the entire fourth quarter and looked impressive to Voorhees.

Every squad member showed well during the evening but top honors must go to Olk, who not only tallied his 10 points but compiled 24 rebounds in the three quarters he played. Don Santos also bucketed 10 points for the victors.

Other scores in the S.C.V.A.L. found undefeated Fremont taming the Santa Clara Panthers 54-47, and the Campbell Buccaneers trouncing James Lick 52-34.

Friday night the Huskies will face the undefeated Campbell quintet on the Huskies home floor. The Bucs have won their first three starts and are rated the Cinderella team of the S.C.V.A.L.

Box score—Washington:

	FG	FT	Pts.
Bolivia, f	2	1	5
Nieves, f	4	0	8
Santos, g	4	2	10
Olk, c	4	2	10
Orozco, f	4	1	9
Galvan, g	4	1	9
Dickerson, f	0	2	2
Meyer, c	0	1	1
Flatt, c	1	1	3
Thomsen, g	1	1	3
Hill, g	0	1	1

VARSITY STANDINGS

	W	L
Fremont	3	0
Campbell	3	0
Mountain View	2	1
Washington	2	1
Los Gatos	1	2
James Lick	1	2
Santa Clara	0	3
Live Oak	0	3

'B' STANDINGS

	W	L
Washington	3	0
Live Oak	3	0
Campbell	2	1
James Lick	2	1
Santa Clara	1	2
Mountain View	1	2
Los Gatos	0	3
Fremont	0	3

Answer to this week's Guess Who: Harry Tyson, retired county roadmaster, Niles.

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DEADEYES FOR THE ORANGE AND BLACK . . . Potent cogs in Husky Coach Clyde Voorhees' 1953 varsity basketball machine are these shooters, poised for action in the local gym. Left to right are Frank Galvan, forward; Don Santos, guard; Antoine Rigmaiden, center; Alan Olk, guard, and Tony Nieves, forward. (Register Photo)

PUPS FINISH FAST TO EDGE KITTENS

The Washington High Bs made it three in a row Friday night when they squeaked past the Los Gatos Bs, 51-49, in overtime.

The Puppies led 10-6 at the end of the first period but the Wildcats rallied and they were heading the Puppies by one point at the half, 24-23.

Ray Orozco of the Huskies and Tod Strycker of the Cats each bucketed 11 points during the first half.

The Gatos Bs strengthened their margin to 5 points, and led 35-30 at the end of the third quarter.

Junior Huskies came from behind in the fourth period and when the buzzer sounded the score was knotted at 45-all.

Orozco cinched victory for the local club. He sank two free tosses with only 30 seconds remaining. Orozco captured scoring honors for the Puppies with 20 Friday night the Puppies will defend their title against the once-beaten Campbell Buc Bs on the Centerville court. The Bucs are rated one of the best fives in the lightweight league. Tip-off is set for 7:30.

Washington box score:

	FG	FT	Pts.
Hird, f	3	1	7
Mahussay, c	4	1	9
Orozco, c	6	8	20
Arington, g	1	0	2
Anchundo, g	5	3	13
Haynes, g	0	0	0

OFF TO BUYER SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Kolberg of Centerville, Western Auto Supply dealers, leave Saturday night for Long Beach to attend their firm's annual Merchandise Show. The Centerville store will be closed Monday, and the Kolbergs will return that night.

CAGERS WIN PAIR FROM MENLO HERE

Tuning up for Friday night's league crucial with Campbell, the Washington Hi hoopsters turned a practice tilt with Menlo into a double victory last Monday.

The Husky varsity triumphed 50-42, with Allan Olk continuing his hot streak. Olk scored 10 points and showed class on his rebound retrieves.

Washington's lightweights won another, taking the Menlo Bees into camp 35-25. Art Anchundo topped his teammates on the local court with 10 digits.

Both teams look for a big turnout Friday for the Campbell game. A win will put either Washington team into contention for SCVAL honors, while a loss would all but end their chances for the '53 crown.

Brahmst is Honored

John Brahmst of Niles this week was named governor of the Northern California Chapter of the National Electrical Contractors' Association.

Brahmst, former president of the chapter, will represent it at meetings of the national association.

MRS. BATCHELLER DIES IN SOUTH

Friends in Niles this week mourned Mrs. Virginia D. Batcheller, 38, who died last Friday in San Dimas, California, after a long illness.

Mrs. Batcheller, her husband Oliver, and their children, Oliver, Jr., 10, and Virginia Elizabeth, 12, moved to Niles in 1939, when Mr. Batcheller worked for the California Nursery.

She was well known here for her work in civic groups, women's clubs and PTA circles. During World War II the Batchellers moved about the country while Mr. Batcheller was in the Army In 1945 they moved to San Dimas where he is the head of the California State Polytechnic College ornamental horticultural department.

Mrs. Batcheller's long fight against her illness made her much admired in the Southern California community,

NELS BENSON DIES

Nels Benson, 77, retired poultryman of Irvington, died here January 25. He was the husband of Amanda Albertina Benson, brother of Victor Benson of Portland, Oregon, Mrs. Elsie Van Vik of Visalia and Mrs. Matilda Lundin. He was a native of Sweden.

Services were held Wednesday from the Irvington parlors of the Berge Mortuary, with Rev. Cecil Rhoades officiating. Interment was at IOOF Cemetery, Irvington.

Willis' Mother Dies

Funeral services were held in Sacramento Monday for Mrs. Mable Willis, 84, mother of Phil Willis, Centerville restauranteur.

Mrs. Willis died Thursday in the Capitol City. She had lived in California almost 60 years. Surviving are eight other sons and daughters, most of them in Sacramento.

Willis today thanked local friends who sent floral offerings and cards of sympathy.

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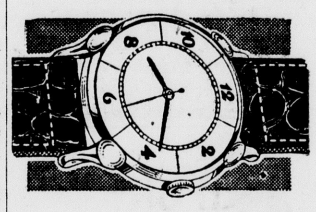

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Country Club to Meet February 3

Members of the Country Club of Washington Township will meet Tuesday afternoon, February 3, at 2 p.m., for their regular business meeting. Mrs. Fred Muller, program chairman, will introduce the guest speaker, Hrayn Terzian, director of the juvenile hall, Highland Hospital.

Mrs. E. Dixon Bristow, music chairman, has arranged for vocal numbers by Miss Rosilind Rogers, accompanied by Mrs. Dwight Thornburg.

Mrs. Anna Bradford, president of the Country Club, will hold a board meeting prior to the business meeting, commencing at 1 p.m.

Hostesses will be Mesdames L. E. Bailey, J. A. Ratekin, L. W. Musick and Miss Flora McKeown.

Rummage Sale

Alviso Mothers' Club will hold a rummage sale this Friday and Saturday, January 30 and 31, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., in the Bethlo Building in Centerville. Proceeds will benefit the Alviso School, according to Mrs. Earl Lund, chairman.

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...Around the Township...

Art and Hobby Sections To Meet February 10

Home Art Section of the Country Club of Washington Township will meet February 10, beginning with supper at 6:45. Mrs. Merle Buehler, Mrs. Eugene Manning and Mrs. William Clark will be hostesses.

Hobby Section will meet the same evening with Mrs. William Dutra as chairman, assisted by Mrs. Paul Gygax and Mrs. Judson Taylor.

Baby Shower

Wednesday evening after their business meeting, members of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, Betsy Ross Parlor No. 218, honored Mrs. Beverly Medeiros with a baby shower. Many lovely gifts were received. Mrs. Margaret Phillips was chairman, and delighted the members with sandwiches, cup cakes and coffee.

Mrs. Anna Mae Campagna was in charge of decorations. The centerpiece was a pink cradle and pink candles surrounded by dusty miller with ribbon trimming was the setting of a most attractive table.

N.D.G.W. Installation

May Rose of Laura Loma Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West, deputy president to Pleasanton Parlor, will install the newly-elected officers of the Pleasanton Parlor. Among her deputy grand officers are Ivy Cull, Rose Stearn, Mae Mora and Patricia Rose, all of Niles.

Go South for Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Maciel and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gularte have returned from San Diego where they journeyed last weekend to attend the wedding of Marie Riberro, Mr. Maciel's cousin. After the reception, the local party visited Tia Juana and returned home via Mission San Juan Capistrano and other points of interest.

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Double Celebration

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Vargas of Centerville accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Howarth of San Leandro to the El Nido Rancho on the Orinda strip Saturday night for dinner and dancing, celebrating the birthdays of Mrs. Howarth and Mr. Vargas.

Valentine Dance

V.F.W. Paul Rivers Post 7906 will sponsor a Valentine's dance Saturday, February 14, from 9 to 1 p.m. The affair will be held in the Veterans Memorial Building in Niles. Good music and prizes are promised. Proceeds will benefit the veterans relief fund.

B.P.W. Club to Meet

Washington Township Business and Professional Women's Club will hold a board meeting February 2 at 8 p.m., in the home of Mrs. Bernice Nordvik.

Afternoon Tea

Townshippers enjoying an afternoon tea at the Ebell Club in Oakland Tuesday afternoon were Mrs. Roland Bendel, Mrs. Charles Myrick, Mrs. Anna Bradford and Mrs. Franklin Brown.

Grandson to Visit

Billy Cull of Richmond will spend this week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. Ivy Cull in Niles.

Sunday Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Krumland and Mr. and Mrs. Al Cowan and son of Oakland were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Anna Bradford in Niles.

Ballet in Hayward

Hayward Area Community Concert Association will present, as part of the community concert series, the Russe de Monte Carlo Ballet Concert Company, on February 6 at Hayward Union High School.

NEWARK C. OF C. TO HOLD INSTALLATION

Newark Chamber of Commerce will hold the annual dinner and installation of officers Wednesday evening, February 4, at 7 o'clock, at the Newark School. This is also Ladies Night and a social evening is planned.

ENGAGED . . . Shirley Furtado, junior at San Jose State College, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas V. Furtado of Centerville, announced her engagement to Marvin Peixoto to her Sigma Kappa sorority sisters recently. Marvin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Peixoto of Irvington, a graduate of the University of Santa Clara, and is now in the U. S. Army at Fort Ord. No wedding date has been set. Both Shirley and Marvin are graduates of Washington Union High School.

NEW AT THE NILES BRANCH LIBRARY

New books just received at Niles Library are: Warren, "Whetstone Walls"; O'Hara, "Son of Adam Wyngate"; Duncan, "The Dickybird was Singing"; Banks, "How to Live with Yourself"; Raymond, "Coins of the World"; Curle, "Stamp Collecting"; Crowell, "Popular Weaving," and Wellman, "Comancheros."

The library is open every afternoon except Saturday and Sunday, from 12:30 to 6; evenings except Wednesday, 7 to 8:30 o'clock.

ATTEND CAGE CLINIC

Pupils from Alviso School who attended the Washington Hi basketball clinic are Pat Lynch, Leroy Orsetti, Anthony Pimentel, Robert Emery, John Leon, Bill Hailey, Jimmy Nunes and Andrew Passadore.

NEW NIGHT CLASSES

On February 2 a new semester begins for the Washington Evening High School. Two new classes will be given free of charge.

Ceramics will be under the guidance of Mrs. Dorothy Czerny Brittain; and Business Machines will be directed by Miss Mary Van Winkle, head of Business Education in Washington Union High School.

IRVINGTON FOOD SALE

The Church Women's Association of the Community Presbyterian Church of Irvington is sponsoring a food sale and tea on Saturday at 1 p.m. in Westminster Hall.

Mrs. Anna Van Buskirk and Mrs. Kittie Bernal are in charge of the sale, while Mrs. Kate Brewer and Mrs. Anna Jorgensen head the tea committee.

REBEKAH NEWS

A group of Rebekahs from Silver Star Rebekah Lodge, Irvington, journeyed to Pleasanton Monday to witness installation of newly elected officers of Pleasanton Rebekah Lodge and Pleasanton Odd Fellows Lodge, under the direction of Ruth Bosley, distrcit deputy president. Among those attending from this lodge were: Ceocle Caldwell, Nellie Talley, Rose Stearns, Anna Bradford, Edna Hescher, Ivy Cull, Elizabeth Mendenhall, Gladys Hindmarsh and Justine Adams.

Next regular meeting of the Friendly Sewing Circle will be held February 5 at Odd Fellows Hall in Irvington. The business meeting will be preceded by a luncheon under the direction of the newly installed officers.

Officers and members of Silver Star Rebekah Lodge will meet in regular session on Friday, February 6, at Odd Fellows Hall in Irvington, with Ceocle Caldwell, noble grand, presiding. The social hour after the business meeting will be in charge of the noble grand and Nellie Talley, vice-grand.

CENTERVILLE CUB SCOUT COMMITTEE HOLDS MEET

The Centerville Cub Scout committee met Monday night at the home of Rev. Arthur Freeman, neighborhood commissioner, with the following members present: Bill Beams, Arthur Belshaw, Dr. Merle Buehler, John Carter, Richard Mendonca and Karl Nordvik. Two other members, Louis Cardoza and A. A. Christofani, were prevented from attending by illness.

Richard Mendonca was elected temporary chairman, with John Carter as vice-chairman. Possibilities for cubmaster were discussed.

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Trial date of Herb Wilson, 68, Niles, charged with trying to run over Taxi Driver Bernie Vail, has been re-set for February 16 in Oakland superior court.

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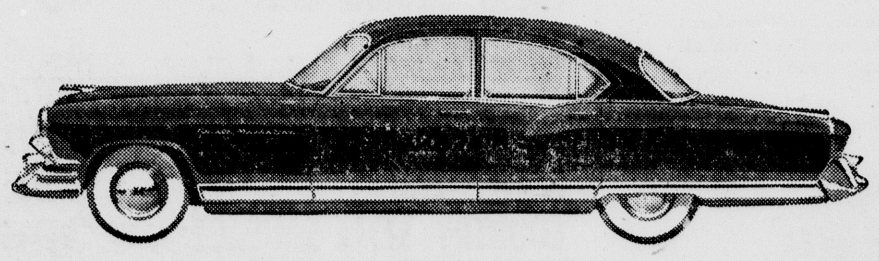

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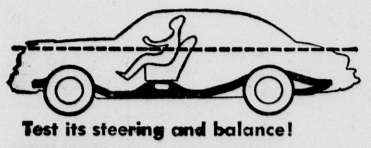

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Cpl. Melford Alameda, whose wife, Lorraine, lives in Centerville, is enroute home after 18 months in the Far East.

Scheduled for release from active duty, he was last stationed at the Army's Eta Jima Specialist School in Japan, where he served with the post quartermaster department.

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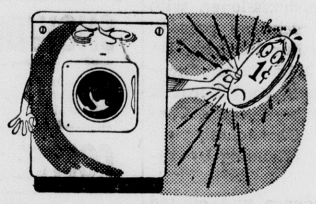

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EX-NILES WOMAN DIES IN ORINDA

Grace Hope Brooks, the former Grace Chisholm of Niles, died January 13 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Schwarck, in Orinda, after a brief illness.

Mrs. Brooks, who was 80, was the daughter of the late Alexander Chisholm, a pioneer San Francisco merchant, and Sarah Catherine Chisholm. She was the sister of Archibald A. Chisholm, Alec Chisholm and Stuart W. Chisholm, all deceased.

The Chisholm family were residents of Niles for 19 years, from 1887 to 1906.

She is survived by, in addition to her daughter, a son, Stuart Chisholm Brooks, and four grandchildren, all of Orinda.

Private services were held January 15

ROTARY COMMITTEE

Named to a Rotary Club committee to nominate directors and officers for the coming year are Peter Juhl, Dr. Will Lamoreux and Ed Enos.

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CENTERVILLE NEWS

By DIANE HYGELUND

OFFICER E. B. AYRES of the California Highway Patrol addressed the Parent-Teacher Association of the Centerville Elementary School last Tuesday on "Children's Safety Problems."

THE CHILD WELFARE CLUB of Washington Township met at the home of Mrs. A. B. Hill, president, in Allen's Court. Mrs. Marie Logan was co-hostess.

ANNUAL DINNER party given by the Hobby Section of the Country Club for husbands of the memmers, was held last Saturday at the PG&E Clubhouse. Dancing followed the dinner.

MR. and MRS. CHRIS MIKKELSEN visited with Mr. and Mrs. Latham Berlin on the latter's 25th wedding anniversary.

MRS. C. HYGELUND visited her son, Lloyd, and family for a few days in San Jose.

MRS. I. D. JONES and granddaughter, Dolores Hay, recently returned from a trip south to visit Mrs. Jones' daughter.

STUDENTS of Washington Hi enjoyed the music of the Parks Air Force Base band last Friday.

THE LIONS mid-winter convention was held in San Franvisco January 15-17. Attending from Centerville were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence LeCount, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Alameda, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mette, Mr. and Mrs. Art Belshaw and Mr. and Mrs. Erle Hygelund.

THE LIONS CLUB of Centerville held Ladies Night at the International Kitchen recently. Students of the Carol Jean Dance Studio performed.

MRS. MARION ZWISSIG entertained the bridge club at her home in Decoto. Members are Mrs. Evelyn Garcia, Mrs. Lucille Day, Marguerite Crane, Mrs. Betty Broun, Mrs. Evelyn Joseph and Mrs. Ann Rose.

ARTS APPRECIATION section of the Washington Township Country Club held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Connolly, who gave an account of her trip to Hawaii. Mrs. Edward Chadbourne is chairman of the section.

RALPH JUHL, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Juhl of Niles, is home for a week after mid-term exams. Ralph is a sophomore at the University of California.

Decoto School News

The first yo-yo contest of the new year at Barnard and Decoto Schools found Allen Williams, Bill Bachman and Wayne James tying for first. Bobby Hidalgo took second. Marilyn Manwaring and Jackie Blurton tied for first in the girls' division, with Dorothy Bachman and Josie Alvarez tying for second.

The High Steppers, the newly-formed sixth grade folk dance club, announces the new list of members: Ascension Ramirez, Rachel Morales, Laverne Olvarez, Joyce Curry, Carol Gordon, Lois Saucedo, Virginia Montillano, Teresa Hernandez, Estella Lopez, Rheba Smith, Helen Alvarez, Judith Campbell, Judith King, Billie Sue Bigby, Beatrice Moreno, Romana Moreno, Joyce Le Block, Mary Brewer, Karen Parnala, Sally Jiminez, Esther Chavez, William Weatherall, Louis Govaz, Robert Silger, Gloria Jean Santiago, Juanita Gonzales, Donna Dennis, Phyllis Avila, Darleen Santos, Lynn Gunderson, Rochelle Leiby, Katherine Brager, Jovita Rivera, Flo Ann McWhorter, Cecilia Stock and Dorothy Jean Bachman.

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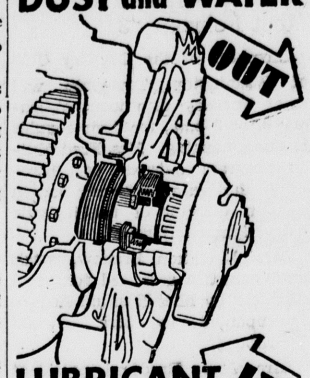
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SIRLOIN AND RIB STEAKS	lb	77¢
BONELESS VEAL ROAST	lb	79¢
SHOULDER POT ROAST	lb	55¢
FRESH GROUND BEEF	lb	45¢
BOILING BEEF	lb	33¢

PORK

SHOULDER ROAST (3-4 lb AV.)	lb	49¢
LEAN STEAK	lb	59¢
COUNTRY STYLE SAUSAGE	lb	39¢
FRESH SPARE RIBS	lb	49¢
PORK LIVER	lb	39¢
PICNIC HAMS	lb	47¢
SLICED BACON	lb	47¢

MISCELLANEOUS

BREAST OF LAMB	lb	27¢
LARD	lb	19¢
PICKLED PORK (JUST LIKE HAM)		37¢
CORNED BEEF	lb	55¢

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA

No. 246745 Dept. No. 1

SUMMONS

ANTHONY S. ENOS and MATILDA A. ENOS, his wife,
Plaintiffs,
vs.
SAMUEL G. FOLGER, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, a body corporate, and a political subdivision of the State of California, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in Plaintiffs' Complaint adverse to Plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon Plaintiffs' title thereto,
Defendants.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETINGS TO:

SAMUEL G. FOLGER, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, a body corporate, and a political subdivision of the State of California, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in Plaintiffs' Complaint adverse to Plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon Plaintiffs' title thereto, Defendants:

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the Complaint filed in the County of Alameda, in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within said County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

The object of said action is to obtain a judgment and decree of said Court adjudging and declaring that neither of said Defendants, nor any of them, have any right, title, estate, lien or interest in, to or upon the real property in said Complaint and hereinafter described, or any part or portion thereof, adverse to Plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon Plaintiffs' title thereto and that the title of said Plaintiffs in and to said real property and every part and portion thereof is good and valid and that said Plaintiffs are entitled to have said title quieted against said Defendants, and each of them, and that said Defendants, and each of them, be forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in, to or upon said property, or any part or portion thereof, adverse to said Plaintiffs.

That said real property consists of all that certain real property situated in the Township of Washington, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows:

THAT PORTION of Harrison Street (50 feet wide) lying between the extension northeasterly of the northwestern line of Lot 36, and the extension northeasterly of the southeastern line of Lot 29, as said street and lots are shown on the "Map of The Roberts Addition to the Town of Irvington, Alameda Co., Cal.," etc., filed December 18, 1889, in Book 10 of Maps, at page 61 in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County.

You are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiffs will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, this 2nd day of January, 1953.

JOHN JOSEPH KINGSTON,
Clerk
By A. P. GIOVANNONI,
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E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for Plaintiffs
Niles, California J16.23.30.F6

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DECOTO BRIEFS

By CECELIA LUEVANO

A BABY SHOWER was given in honor of Mrs. Katie Delgado by Mrs. Frances Guterriz on January 24, at the home of Mrs. Antonia Bolivia. Those attending were: Mrs. Chester Garcia, Mrs. Isabel Delgado, Mrs. Minnie Sanchez, Mrs. Mary Sanchez, Mrs. Julia Delgado, Mrs. Sabastiana Delgado, Mrs .Minnie Garcia, Mrs. Cecilia Garcia, Mrs. Antionette Paniagua, Mrs. Penfilia Delgado, Mrs. Raphela Guerra, Mrs. Lorenza Guerra, Mrs. Suzie Ortega, Mrs. Claudia Garcia, Mrs. Seturnina Arribas, Mrs. Luteria Pagan, Mrs. Angie Watkins, Mrs. Vicenta Bargenicano, Mrs. Mary Ersa of El Cerrito, Mrs. Frances Delgado and Mrs. Henreatta Munoz of Hayward, Mrs. Louisa De Moijo of Palo Alto, Mrs. Annie Bolivia and Mrs. Josephine Bolivia of Niles, and Mrs. Mazie Ariza of San Leandro. Bingo and various other games were played throughout the evening. Refreshments were served buffet style. A large beautiful cake was the most delicious part of the evening, which was inscribed "Welcome Stranger."

I'M HAPPY to see Mr. Joe Arribas up and around again after his illness.

THE NEW ADDITION to Olsen's Market will soon be completed.

JOHNNY O'MALIA is really thrilled with his new bike which he worked for by getting 20 subscriptions for the Township Register.

EVERYONE is happy to see Mrs. Louise Borghi home after being in the hospital for three weeks.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Patricia O'Malia who will be celebrating her 17th birthday January 30. She and her family will celebrate at her grandmother's home, Mrs. Azevedo of Warm Springs.

BORN at the Decoto Medical Building January 24 was little Linda Elston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Charles Elston of 170 Railroad Avenue, Newark. She is their first child and weighed 7 pounds and 8 ounces.

LAST SUNDAY Mr. and Mrs. Moreno and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence and family. The Morenos are from San Francisco, and were one-time residents of Decoto.

A BIRTHDAY DINNER was given in honor of Mr. Jess Orozco to celebrate his 29th birthday, on January 21. Those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Orozco, Mr. and Mrs. Sal Orozco, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bedoza, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Garcia, Mr. and Mrs. Hector Garcia, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Solario, Mr. and Mrs. Gil Orozco, Mr. and Mrs. Sal Flores, Mr. Jose Orozco and Ernest Orozco. Also at the dinner, which was served by Mrs. Orozco, was Rev. Ralph Duggan. Music and dancing followed

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore existing between JOSEPH PESSAGNO, GENE PESSAGNO, NICHOLAS PESSAGNO and WILLIAM PESSAGNO, heretofore carrying on business as copartners in the Town of Niles, County of Alameda, State of California, under the firm name and style of "INTERLOCKING ROOF TILE COMPANY," was dissolved and terminated by mutual consent, effective upon the close of business on the 2nd day of January, 1953, by the withdrawal of JOSEPH PESSAGNO.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that GENE PESSAGNO, NICHOLAS PESSAGNO and WILLIAM PESSAGNO who have acquired the interest of said JOSEPH PESSAGNO, will continue to operate said business as a partnership in said Town of Niles, County of Alameda, State of California, under the firm name and style of "INTERLOCKING ROOF TILE COMPANY," and that they are the only members of said partnership. Said GENE PESSAGNO, NICHOLAS PESSAGNO and WILLIAM PESSAGNO will be responsible for all debts contracted against said business from the close of business on the 2nd day of January, 1953.

That the names and places of residence of the above parties are as follows:

JOSEPH PESSAGNO,
Niles, California
GENE PESSAGNO,
Niles, California
NICHOLAS PESSAGNO,
Niles, California
WILLIAM PESSAGNO,
Niles, California

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 2nd day of January, 1953.

JOSEPH PESSAGNO
GENE PESSAGNO
NICHOLAS PESSAGNO
WILLIAM PESSAGNO

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

ON THIS 2nd day of January, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and fifty-three, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared JOSEPH PESSAGNO, GENE PESSAGNO, NICHOLAS PESSAGNO and WILLIAM PESSAGNO, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
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IT AIN'T SIMPLE

Well, Zone Six got formed, and Zone 5 went belly-up—at least for the time being. We're talking about flood control proposals that got the final treatment from the Supervisors this week.

Zone Six ought to iron out the drainage gimmicks that blocked building between Irvington and Mission San Jose. Sure, subdividers will make some money out of that. But so will a lot of working people who get jobs from the construction, businessmen who sell to the builders and to the new residents; and industry and business will profit from having some new housing for their employees, and the employees will have a nice place to live.

Some people will suffer a little from increased taxes, though not as much as they think. Chiefly the hill-country landowners, whose property is too steep and too far away for subdivision. They raise cattle, cattle prices are down this year, and any new tax is a burden these days.

It was the cattlemen and the skeptical town councils of Pleasanton and Livermore who killed Zone 5. With plenty of time to bring it up again, maybe county engineers can make them see it differently. Surely water conservation "over the hill" would be worth as much to them as flood curbs to us web-feet.

Cattle and sheep raisers are stubborn, but of course they have a point. If revenues from their lands fall off, then they should be paying less taxes on those lands. It is up to the County Assessor to see that they do not pay a greater share than their revenues from the land warrant.

With fair assessments, no segment ought to stay aloof from needed improvements, if by staying out, it kills the improvements. We hope that during the coming months the holdouts can be shown the value of co-ordinated flood control and water conservation.

NO CONFLICT HERE

Some folks are trying to make the Adobe Acres zoning move into a conflict between homeowners and industry. Or at least to cast the 'Acres householders and the businessmen who support them as enemies of further industrialization for Niles.

The case is hardly as simple as that. Niles is located in a perilous position for future growth. On the south Alameda Creek prohibits further building. To the north and east, railroads and highways cut the town off. Only to the west, through the California Nursery and Adobe Acres, is there a chance to build more homes. Not only does the puny business district need those homes to keep it alive, but the industries Niles boasts today need more homes to house their growing labor forces.

The nursery is doomed to subdivision within a year or two. Beyond the Nursery are a few acres of orchard and some desirable homesites already taken up. Then comes the steel mill and the Western Pacific tracks. Beyond are hundreds of acres of flat, undeveloped fields; good industrial land.

This newspaper sees Niles as a town ideally suited for both factories and homes. But they cannot intermingle if either is to flourish. Smoke and white curtains, clatter and sleep do not mix.

If the Nursery is to be a ready-made garden city for better homes, then Adobe Acres cannot be a factory haven. It will have to take a buffer role.

Let the mills build beyond the railroad, and let's keep everything on this side for homes. That way there'll be room for both uses, and both will prosper.

Zone 6 Formed

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drainage, which the zone would correct.

And Lloyd Bailey, Alvarado rancher, told the cattlemen they ought to be glad to have a district which would conserve water in dry years.

But James Carmody, engineer, from Orchard Tract near Centerville, said he wasn't living in a flooded district, and didn't propose to be taxed for flood control. Carmody charged homesites are assessed higher than farmland and would bear the brunt of the cost.

After the meeting, the commissioners, headed by W. D. Patterson of Newark, agreed the issue should be "deferred for further discussion" instead of making any recommendation prior to the February 1 deadline.

There was no expression of opinion from the towns of Livermore or Pleasanton. Flood District Engineer Herbert Crowle explained Monday that the supervisors cannot form any zone without acquiescence of incorporated towns in it, and that since Livermore and Pleasanton withheld support, the commission felt a recommendation would be useless.

DEBATE PAY HIKE FOR SUPERVISORS

(Continued from Page 1)

here in Alameda County get."

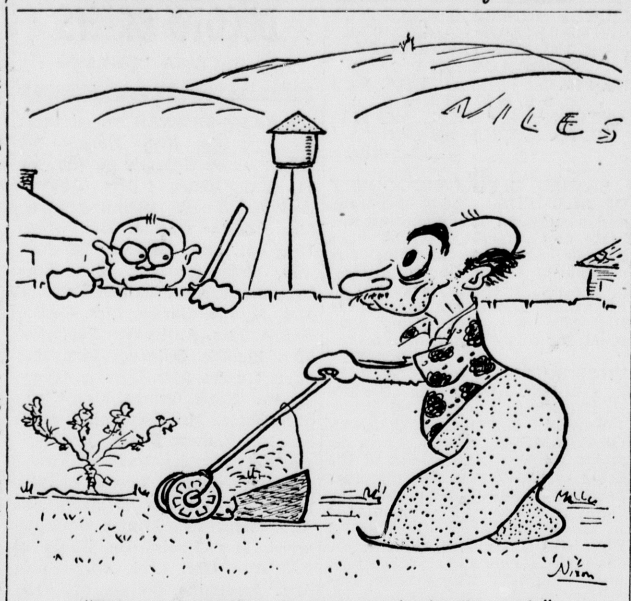
Juhl then asked Wilson if he would like Supervisor Chester E. Stanley and Seidel invited to discuss the raises. Wilson said yes, and Juhl told Secretary Vernon Ellsworth to dispatch the necessary invitations.

A move to block Seidel's proposed $2000-a-year raise came to naught last Wednesday at the Washington Township Chamber of Commerce.

Michael Overacker Jr. of Mission San Jose objected to the legislative proposal to boost Seidel's salary from $14,000 a year to $16,000. But Jack Prouty defended the plan ,saying Seidel's job calls for at least as much pay as other large counties give their top school administrators.

The issue died for lack of a second to Overacker's motion to fight the raise.

TOWNSHIP TOM : : : : : By Nixon



"This good weather is sure a pain in the neck."

OUR READERS WRITE . . .

Editor:

In answer to your front page article in the January 23 edition, under the headline "Wilson Raps Supervisors Raise," I would like to inform you that the people of Los Angeles County, at the last election, under the provisions of the Charter, voted their supervisors a salary increase to $16,000 yearly, plus actual and necessary expenses for travel outside the County on authorized assignments from the Board of Supervisors.

Alameda County, second largest in the State, and the fastest growing county per capita, pays its supervisors $7,800 per year, plus similar actual and necessary expenses. Contra Costa County, which has considerably less than one half the population of Alameda County, pays its supervisors $6,000 per year with the same travel expenses.

In accordance with the provisions of our charter, which makes it the duty of the Legislature to set the salaries of the Board, the Supervisors have asked the Legislature, through a "spot bill," introduced by Senator Arthur H. Breed Jr., to conduct a study to determine whether they are being paid a proper salary in comparison with other supervisors throughout the State of California.

This procedure is in accord with that followed by the Board of Supervisors in determining the salaries of County employees. Twice yearly, in January and July, a survey of like positions in the nine Bay Area Counties is made and like duties and responsibilities are compared in order to meet a Charter requirement that the County pay salaries for like employment comparable to private industry and other similar political subdivisions.

As correctly stated in your article, Assemblyman Randal F. Dickey of Alameda introduced a separate measure which would give a supervisor with 16 years or more service one-half pay on retirement, if he were 68 years of age or over. Although introduced by an Assemblyman from Alameda County, this bill is beneficial to, and being sponsored by, three additional counties in the State.

The reference Dr. Wilson made at the Chamber of Commerce meeting in regard to "horse trading" with Assemblyman Dolwig of San Mateo County, who recently appeared as a legal representative for the owners and operators of the Garden of Allah relative to the re-issuance of a dance permit, is entirely erroneous and without basis of fact. No preference whatsoever was given this application, and although approved conditionally, as a matter of fact, the conditions imposed were more stringent than in the normal case.

In addition to imposing restrictive provisions governing dances, as set forth in County Ordinances Nos. 165, 303 and 569, the applicant was required to provide lighting for the parking area so that all parts of it will be visible at all times. Moreover, it was provided that if at any time in the future, any complaints are received concerning the manner in which the premises are being conducted, immediate steps would be taken to revoke the permit.

Irresponsible and unfounded statements, such as appeared in this article, are contrary to all standards of justice and fair play. Common decency should compel anyone, even Dr. Wilson, to make certain that his statements are based on facts before making them publicly and damaging reputations by such tactics.

Very truly yours,
CHESTER E. STANLEY
Chairman, Board of Supervisors.

Editor:

I have a complaint to make in regard to how things are run by the Niles Chamber of Commerce, and the men they pick to represent our community.

What Niles needs is industry so that people have work and security, and the merchants should do everything in their power to bring it here instead of driving it away.

SAM DiPERSIO
63 Niles Canyon Road, Niles.

MYSTERY MAN WAS BASEBALL HURLER

Did you guess last week's puzzle correctly? The lady was Lucy Katzer, who longtime Townshippers will recall as queen of the Native Sons Festival here in 1912.

See what luck you have with this Mystery Man. If you're stumped, try for the answer elsewhere in our columns.

He was born September 24, 1882, in Niles.

He was the grandson of an early pioneer who settled here in 1850. He attended local schools. In 1904 he graduated from the Anderson Academy in Irvington.

Six feet four inches in height, our Mystery Man was very active in sports, especially as a baseball pitcher. His team did not lose a single game in two successive years when he threw for them.

In 1906 he pitched for the Seals, after playing in the State League for two years. Due to the low pay, he says, he decided to give up professional baseball.

From 1907 to 1917, he worked for the San Francisco post office, which at that time was located at the south end of the Ferry building. About this time he married the daughter of another pioneer who had settled in Newark in 1848. Upon leaving the post office he farmed the home ranch with his father.

In 1929, Mr. Mystery entered a new field of work. After 24 years he has recently retired.

He is widely known for his good natured, easy-going temperament.

He is the father of two children, who are married and reside in the community. He is twice a grandfather.

He resigned a few years ago after long trusteeship of the Niles School.

His hobbies include duck hunting, trout fishing and gardening. Now that he is retired, his family is trying to talk him into taking a few trips.

Guess Who.

NILES MAN PROMOTED

Edward M. Vessel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vessel, Route 1, Niles, was recently promoted to sergeant while serving on Okinawa.

Vessel, who entered the Army in March of 1951 and arrived on Okinawa in September of that year, is serving as a member of the 29th Infantry Regiment's Heavy Mortar Company.

WINS BATTERY CASE

Walter Santos, 26, of Newark, was acquitted Monday of charges he beat a local woman, Margaret Chalmers, he allegedly met in a Newark bar. Santos won his freedom after a brief trial before Judge E. A. Quaresma.

LOSES LICENSE

Benny M. Salazar, 417 Seventh Street, Decoto, had his driver's license suspended this week for repeated traffic violations, according to the State

News of Township Churches

CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCH
Niles

Information classes on the teachings and beliefs of the Catholic Church will be conducted every Friday night from 8 to 9 o'clock, beginning Friday, January 30, at the parish rectory, 401 Second St., Niles.

Catholic and non-Catholic residents of the parish are cordially invited to these discussions without any obligation. Remember the opening date and that it is important to attend from the beginning for a complete course. These classes will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. Richard B. O'Connell.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH
Niles

The subject for the Christian Science Lesson-Sermon on Sunday, February 1, will be "Love."

From the Christian Science text book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, the following will be read:

'Cl'ad in the panoply of Love, human hatred cannot reach you."

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Newark

Concluding the third anniversary celebration, a special guest is to be presented in an unusual meeting Friday at 7:30 p.m. He is Peter Van Woerden, who was jailed by the Nazis for his work with the Dutch underground. Van

PETER VAN WOERDEN

Woerden was converted in prison. He will return to Europe in March to engage in gospel radio work.

Sunday morning Pastor Riley Kaufman will speak at 11 o'clock morning worship and communion service on the subject, "Born Blind." Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.

The pastor will also be heard Sunday evening in the musical evangelistic service at 7:30 o'clock, when he speaks on the subject, "Lullaby, Alibi, and Byebye!"

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Niles

Rev. Focht's sermon for Sunday is "The Inner Circle." Holy Communion will be celebrated, and a coffee hour will follow.

Church School and a nursery during the church hour at 10 a.m. The Board of Trustees of the church will hold their monthly meeting following the church service.

The church will hold its monthly fellowship pot-luck supper in Ford-Pilgrim Hall at 6:30 tonight. The evening speaker will be the Rev. Philip Murray of Oakland's Plymouth Congregational Church.

ST. JAMES' EPISCOPAL
Centerville

Services Feb. 1 (Septuagesima, approximately 70 days before Easter): Church School, 9:45 a.m.; Holy Communion and sermon, 11 a.m. A nursery is provided during the morning service and a "coffee hour" follows.

Monday, 7 p.m., Supper Club.

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Young People's Fellowship.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m. choir practice; 8 p.m., Men's Club.

The annual Diocesan Convention will be held in Grace Cathedral in San Francisco on February 3 and 4, and the Women's Auxiliary Februray 5.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Niles

"A Voice from Heaven" will be the topic of the Rev. Noel Glover's Sunday morning service. A baptismal service will precede the evening worship.

The church's young people will attend a semi-formal banquet at the Hamilton Square Baptist Church in San Francisco Friday at 7 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Newark

Sunday's sermon at 11 a.m. will be by Mr. Robert Clapham, a senior in our seminary at San Anselmo. Before entering the seminary, Mr. Clapham served as a director of Christian Education.

Sunda ySchool, 9:45; Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.

Friday night at Berkeley: A youth skating party will leave the church at 6 p.m.

Thursday night at 8 o'clock, prayer meeting.

The four Friday nights of February, at 7:30, the pastor will conduct a training course for members and non-members in the fundamentals of our faith. At a successful completion of this course, non-members may apply for membership if they so desire.

Rev. John M. Peffers is pastor.

COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN
Irvington

"Minority Reports" is the sermon topic of the Rev. Cecil Rhoades for the service at 11:15 a.m. Sunday. A nursery for little folks through the first grade is provided by the Ad-A-Mites.

Other Sunday services include: Sunday School at 10 a.m.; Junior Westminster Fellowship, 6 p.m.; Senior Westminster Fellowship at 7:30, and prayer group at 7 p.m. at the pastor's home.

Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., choir practice; 7:30 p.m., Bible Study.

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